Mapping LWM2M model to CoMI YANG

draft-vanderstok-core-yang-LWM2M-00

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(Work in Progress)

Purpose

- Standard organisations use hierarchical models that can be specified in XML and describe classes with attributes and operations that can be instantiated to objects.
- OMA LWM2M and IPSO standardise numbered object types.
- CoMI at IETF (draft-vanderstok-core-comi-09) describes a network management interface based on CoAP and YANG.
- Goal: convert a LWM2M xml-based device specification to a YANG MODULE for CoMI consumption.

Humidity Object

Object definition

Name	Object ID	Instances	Mandatory	Object URN
Humidity	0	Multiple	Mandatory	urn:oma:lwm2m:ipso:3304

Resource definitions

ID	Name	Operations	Instances	Mandatory	Туре	Units	Description
5700	Sensor Value	R	Single	Mandatory	Float		
5601	Min Measured Value	R	Single	Optional	Float		
5602	Max Measured Value	R	Single	Optional	Float		
5603	Min Range Value	R	Single	Optional	Float		
5604	Max Range Value	R	Single	Optional	Float		
5701	Sensor Units	R	Single	Optional	String		
5605	Reset Min and Max	Е	Single	Optional	Opaque		

Conversion Rules

LWM2M



YANG (RFC6020)

optional /mandatory attribute	false / true statement			
R, W attributes	Config statement (False=R, True=W)			
E attribute	YANG RPC			
range attribute	range statement			
units	units statement			
Resources	Leafs on a YANG list +ro ID3301* [instance_number] +ro 5700 uint16			
Object Instance	"instance" key attribute			

URI Conversion

LWM2M



YANG

RESTCONF URI (example 3):

http://example.com/type/instance/resource

URI:

coap+lwm2m://example.com/object/instance/resource

CoMI URI (example 3):

coap://example.com/type/resource?key=0

if only one instance then

coap://example.com/type/resource

Keys as query parameter for instance number.

Generated YANG modules

```
1 module: ietf-yang-humidityID
                                              +--ro ID3301* [instance number]
[ ]
       list keys
                                                 +--ro instance number
                                                                            uint16
                                                                            decimal64
                                                 +--ro ID5700
       configuration data (read and write)
                                                                            string
rw
                                                 +--ro ID5701?
                                                 +--ro ID5601?
                                                                            decimal64
                                                                            decimal64
                                                 +--ro ID5602?
       state data (read only)
ro
                                                                            decimal64
                                                 +--ro ID5603?
                                                 +--ro ID5604?
                                                                            decimal64
?
       optional node
                                                 +---x ID5605
       list and leaf list
                                        module: ietf-yang-humidityNM
                                             +--ro IPSO-humidity* [instance number]
       choice
                                                 +--ro instance number
                                                                                  uint16
                                                 +--ro Sensor Value
                                                                                  decimal64
                                                 +--ro Units?
                                                                                  string
       case nodes
                                                 +--ro Min Measured Value?
                                                                                  decimal64
                                                 +--ro Max Measured Value?
                                                                                  decimal64
       subtrees not shown
                                                 +--ro Min Range Value?
                                                                                  decimal64
                                                 +--ro Max Range Value?
                                                                                  decimal64
                                                 +---x Reset Min and Max measured values
```

Generated YANG modules

```
3. module: ietf-yang-humidityLF
                                             +--rw IPSO-humidity
                                                +--ro identifier
                                                                      uint.16
                                                +--ro resources* [instance number]
[ ]
       list keys
                                                    +--ro instance number uint16
                                                    +--ro Sensor Value
       configuration data (read and write)
rw
                                                       +--ro identifier?
                                                                            uint16
                                                                            decimal64
                                                       +--ro content
                                                    +--ro Units
       state data (read only)
ro
                                                       +--ro identifier?
                                                                            uint16
                                                                            string
                                                       +--ro content?
?
       optional node
                                                    +--ro Min Measured Value
                                                       +--ro identifier?
                                                                            uint16
                                                       +--ro content?
                                                                            decimal64
       list and leaf list
                                                    +--ro Max Measured Value
                                                       +--ro identifier?
                                                                            uint16
       choice
                                                       +--ro content?
                                                                            decimal64
                                                    +--ro Min_Range Value
                                                       +--ro identifier?
                                                                            uint16
       case nodes
                                                                            decimal64
                                                       +--ro content?
                                                    +--ro Max Range Value
       subtrees not shown
                                                       +--ro identifier?
                                                                            uint16
                                                       +--ro content?
                                                                            decimal64
                                                    +--ro Reset_Min_and_Max_measured_values
                                                                            uint16
                                                       +--ro identifier?
```

+---x reset

Takeaways

- Example 1 (module: ietf-yang-humidityID) is a bit forced and lacks the Resource Name.
- Example 2 (module: ietf-yang-humidityNM) seems to be the best fit.
- Example 3 (ietf-yang-humidityLF) seems too complex.
- YANG is much more expressive than LWM2M, there are many ways to express the same thing.
- Both .XML (3482 characters) and .YANG (4570 characters on example 1) have a lot of "noise" in them.
- Key leafs are just one possible way to represent instances.
- Access Control mapping might be done better.
- YANG has no Float, we use 64 bit precision (float is 32).
- Need to script automatic conversion.
- Where would a converter run? GWs, devices, server?

Links

- https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc6020
- http://technical.openmobilealliance.org/Technical/technicalinformation/release-program/current-releases/omalightweightm2m-v1-0
- http://ipso-alliance.github.io/pub/
- (Preliminary work) http://jaimejim.github.io/drafts/draft-vanderstok-core-yang-lwm2m-00.txt
- jaimejim.github.io/drafts/3304.xml
- jaimejim.github.io/drafts/3304.yang

```
module ietf-humidityID{
 yang-version 1.1; // needed for action
  namespace
      "urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-humidityID";
  prefix humid;
  organization
    "IPSO";
  contact
     "WG Web: http://tools.ietf.org/wg/core/
    WG List: mailto:core@ietf.org
     WG Chair: Carsten Bormann
               mailto:cabo@tzi.org
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              mailto:jaime.jimenez@ericsson.com";
  description
    "This module contains information about the operation of the IPSO LWM2M humidity sensor with ID 3301.
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     authors of the code. All rights reserved.
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     This version of this YANG module is part of RFC XXXX; see
     the RFC itself for full legal notices.";
```

```
revision "2016-07-25" {
      description "Initial revision.";
     reference
        "I-D:draft-vanderstok-core-yang-LWM2M: YANG language applied to the LWM2M IPSO humidity sensor specification";
   list ID3301 {
      key instance number;
     config false; // should be same for key leaf
     description
        "IPSO humidity: The humidity sensor is composed of a set of instances";
          leaf instance_number {
              type uint16{
                 range "0..1"; // only one instance zero (0)
              config false; // R access
              mandatory "true";
              description
               "the number of the humidity sensor instance";
           leaf ID5700 {
              type decimal64{      // YANG has no float
                      fraction-digits 2;
                      range "10.0 .. 66.6";}
              config false; // R access
              mandatory "true";
              description
               "Sensor Value: Last or Current Measured Value from the Sensor";
           leaf ID5701 {
              type string;
              units "Defined by 'Units' resource";
              config false; // R access
              description
                "Units: Measurement unit definition e.g. 'Cel' for temperature in Celsius";
            }
```

```
leaf ID5602 {
              type decimal64{      // YANG has no float
                      fraction-digits 2;
                      range "10.0 .. 66.6";}
              units "Defined by 'Units' resource";
              config false; // R access
              description
                "Max Measured Value: The maximum value measured by the sensor since power ON or reset";
            leaf ID5603 {
              type decimal64{      // YANG has no float
                      fraction-digits 2;
                      range "10.0 .. 66.6";}
              units "Defined by 'Units' resource";
              config false; // R access
              description
                "Min Range Value: The minimum value that can be measured by the sensor";
            leaf ID5604 {
              type decimal64{      // YANG has no float
                      fraction-digits 2;
                      range "10.0 .. 66.6";}
              units "Defined by 'Units' resource";
              config false; // R access
              description
                "Max Range Value: The maximum value that can be measured by the sensor";
            action ID5605 {
               //E access: this is an RPC without input and output parameters
               description
                "Reset Min and Max measured values: Reset the Min and Max measured values to current value";
            }
      } // list ID3301
} // module ietf-yang-humidity
```